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VARIATIONS OF SAM SITES
EGYPT

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THE IDENTIFICATION OF TWO EGYPTIAN SAM SITES CONSISTING OF MORE THAN SIX LAUNCH POSITIONS AND CAPABLE OF SUSTAINING BOTH THE SA-2 AND SA-3 SYSTEMS.

2. LOCATION:

AL ISKANDARIYAH SAM SITE A24-3 (118)

[REDACTED] - 5NM SW OF ALEXANDRIA AT

31-08-00N 029-48-30E.

AL ISMAILIYAH SAM SITE B24B-2 (219)

[REDACTED] -15.5 NM SW OF AL ISMAILIYAH

AT 30-27-20N 032-03-20E.

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3. REMARKS:

AN SA-2 MISSILE-ON-LAUNCHER IS APPROXIMATELY 13 METERS (42 FEET) IN LENGTH. THIS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED BY THE LARGER,

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OUTER REVETMENTS AT AL ISKANDARIYAH SAM SITE A24-3, THE AVERAGE DIMENSIONS OF WHICH ARE 21 X 16 METERS (72 X 54 FEET). THE SMALLER REVETMENTS, AVERAGING 13 X 12 METERS (44 X 39 FEET), ARE INADEQUATE FOR SA-2 LAUNCH EQUIPMENT. THEY ARE, HOWEVER SUFFICIENTLY LARGE TO HANDLE THE SA-3 MISSILES-ON-LAUNCHER WHICH MEASURE APPROXIMATELY 8 METERS (25 FEET) IN LENGTH.

FORMERLY AN AAA SITE, THIS SAM SITE WAS

4. MISSION READOUT: AL ISKANDARIYAH SAM SITE A24-3

THE T-SHAPED STRUCTURE APPEARED TO BE A PROBABLE

SA-3 SITE UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

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AL ISMAILYAH SAM SITE B24B-2

[redacted] THREE LAUNCH POSITIONS WERE OCCUPIED BY UNIDENTIFIED OBJECTS AND THREE LAUNCH POSITIONS WERE UNOCCUPIED. THE GUIDANCE AREA WAS OCCUPIED BY AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT. WITHIN THE LAUNCH SITE PERIMETER FOUR OTHER UNIDENTIFIED OBJECTS (SIMILAR TO THOSE IN THE OCCUPIED LAUNCH POSITIONS) WERE OBSERVED.

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[redacted] FOUR NEW PROBABLE DRIVE-IN LAUNCH POSITIONS HAD BEEN CONSTRUCTED BETWEEN THE SIX SA-2 LAUNCH POSITIONS AND THE GUIDANCE AREA AND WERE OCCUPIED BY PROBABLE SA-3 LAUNCHERS. TWO OF THE SA-2 LAUNCH POSITIONS WERE OCCUPIED BY PROBABLE SA-3 LAUNCHERS, ONE WAS OCCUPIED BY AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT AND THE OTHER THREE WERE OCCUPIED. THE GUIDANCE AREA WAS OCCUPIED BY A LOW BLOW RADAR.

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MIS: 6 PROBABLE SA-3 LAUNCHERS
1 LOW BLOW RADAR

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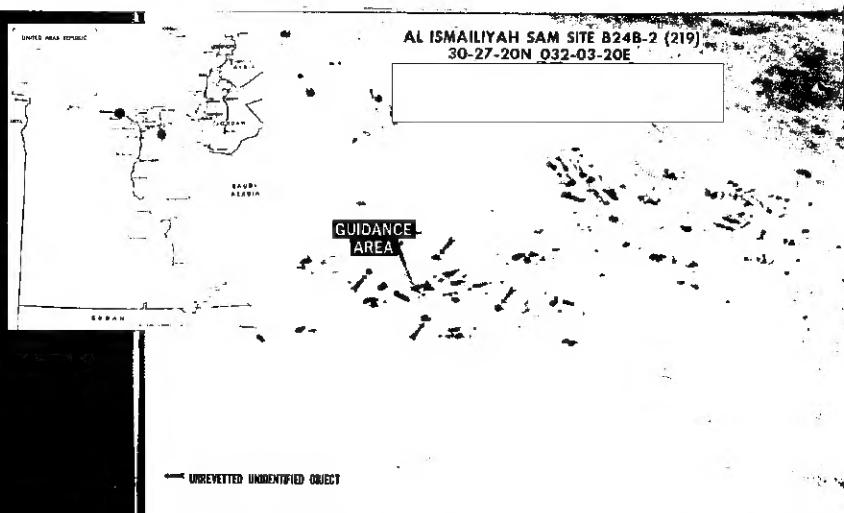
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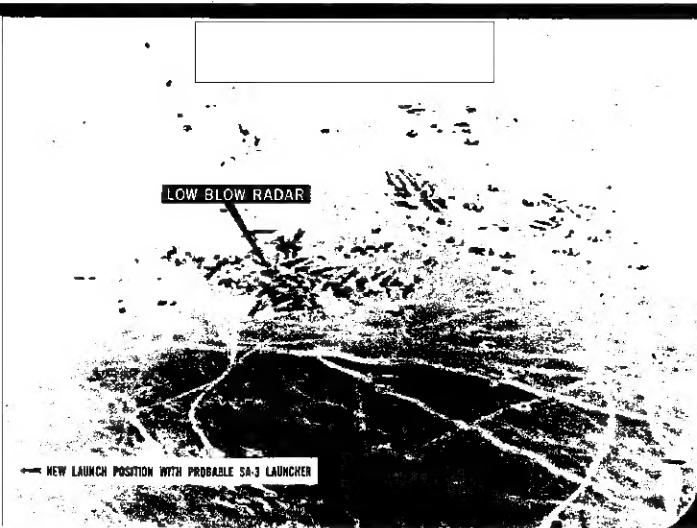
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